

EPA - MS4 Outreach Work (May-December 2017)

(Draft 5-17-19; this version is not yet a complete list of EPA work)

Permit Compliance Tools and Outreach

- NOI:
 - Recorded Webinar that will be posted on EPA website (June timeframe)
 - June 22, NOI webinar; 1-2:30
 - StormwaterNews, vol. 2, NOI article (under development); need agreement from MassDEP)
 - Need to discuss other possible outreach:
 - Social media
 - Notices on EPA website (NPDES and SUR)
 - Simple SWNews blast in July-August time frame
- IDDE:
 - Recorded Webinar, under development
 - List of IDDE and mapping assistance resources (to be distributed, posted on EPA site)
- GPS/Mapping:
 - Mapping Webinar, May 31 1-2:30 (confirm time)
 - On-site GPS Equipment Loan and On-site Assistance Program (one or more/month, June-September); communities yet to be identified.
- Permit Outreach to non-trationals (focus: NOI?) (likely focus, C/Us)
- Stormwater News:
 - Determine future themes and distribution dates in collaboration with MassDEP
 - Vol 1: topic: Community involvement in permit compliance, Distribution Date: ?
 - Vol 2: topic – NOI? Distribution date: July 15th
 - Vol 3: topic – Housekeeping? Distribution Date: September 30th?
 - Vol 4: topic - ? ; Distribution Date: November 30th?

Public Outreach:

- Soak Up the Rain Webinar Series (2017)
 - Jan: Bristol, Rhode Island GI Practices
 - February: Setting Stormwater Fees for a Resilient Future
 - March: Operating and Financing your Stormwater Program under "Real World" Conditions
 - April: Earth Day in Schools
 - April: Inter-Municipal Stormwater Service Agreements
 - May 31: GPS Mapping Stormwater Outfalls
 - June 8: Rain Gardens to the Rescue
 - June 22: NOI
 - Sept: GI Curriculum Development (K-12)

- September 20 (proposed; another compliance topic)
- Oct-Nov (topics not yet identified)

- Promote Soak Up the Rain Customizable Tools

Financing Assistance:

- Stormwater Financing Roundtables Pilot (last one May, 2017)
- Region 1 Stormwater Funding Working Group (collaboration with EFC)
- Other potential collaboration with MassDEP